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Application No. : 09/820,292  
Filed : March 27, 2001  
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Grp./Div. : 3629  
Examiner : Jamisue A. Webb  
Docket No. : PSTM0042/MRK

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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140 S. Lake Ave., Suite 312  
Pasadena, CA 91101  
December 13, 2005

Commissioner:

Attached are the following:

1. Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 18, 2005;
2. Copies of Page 41 of the Amendment and Response to Office Action dated July 14, 2005 and the Return Postcard and Transmittal Letter filed therewith; and
3. Return post card

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the **pendency** of this application to Deposit Account No. 501574. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,  
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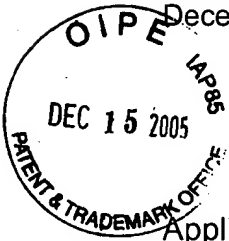
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF  
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Commissioner:

This Response is filed in reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, dated November 18, 2005, regarding the above-identified application. The filing of this Response is timely because it is filed before the expiration of the one-month deadline set by the Examiner in the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 18, 2005.

**Response and Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.